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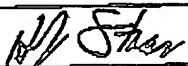
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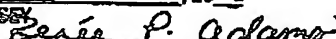
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		First Named Inventor	Mitsutoshi HIGASHI		
		Group Art Unit	2833		
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Serial No. 10/781,786

Group Art Unit: 2833

Confirmation No. 7152

Filed: February 20, 2004

Examiner: TSUKERMAN, LARISA Z

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING EXTERNAL CONTACT TERMINALS AND
METHOD FOR USING THE SAME

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed April 15, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on July 15, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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